OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE, FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 21ST NOVEMBER 1925.

A total of 131 attacks with 78 deaths from plague was returned during the week against 168 attacks and 122 deaths in the week previous. The Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and the Kolar Gold Fields area continued to remain free from the disease.

Comparative figures for the corresponding week were 62 attacks with 44 deaths in 1924, and 249 attacks and 185 deaths in 1923.

2. No cases of other Epidemic diseases, *viz.*, Cholera and Influenza or relapsing Fever were returned during the week.

3. The total mortality for the Bangalore City amounted to 68 representing a calculated annual ratio of 29·82 per mille of population against the average ratio of 33·35 for 1924. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 4 under Malaria, 5 under pneumonia, 1 under Typhoid, 2 under other fevers, 7 under phthisis, 4 under dysentery and diarrhœa, and 45 under all other causes.

4. The total mortality for the Mysore City for the week was 27, representing a calculated annual ratio of 16·27 per mille of population against the average ratio of 29·01 for 1924. The causes of deaths were, pneumonia 1, other fevers 2, phthisis 3, dysentery and diarrhœa 5, and all other causes 16.

5. There were 45 deaths from all causes, reported from the Kolar Gold Fields area, equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 26·69 per mille of population against the average ratio of 28·15 for 1924. The deaths numbered, 1 under typhoid, 2 under other fevers, 4 under phthisis, 2 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 36 under all other causes.

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